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Date: 1 Feb 93 21:07:18 -0500
From: vax.muskingum.edu!re_sims@sun.com
Subject: clo
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Hi all,

Could someone please tell me the exact dates of the Fort Walton, Florida hamfest.

Thanks in advance

Jim N4JDP at:

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Date: 2 Feb 93 02:11:10 GMT
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Pete,

I too thought that my CEPT license allowed me to operate legally in any CEPT signatory country however there seems to be some confusion if I go to FR\G, FR\E or any other French Department or dependancy.

And of course Baldur has generated soome problems in this regard with his Mount Athos operation.

Obviously if I operate in mainland France then no question but how about all those offshore DX QTH's? If CEPT works for FG-land it should work for FR/E FR/G FR/T etc too. Or maybe its just a vendetta against Baldur by the DXAC.

73 Trevor G3WQO AB5EU still exiled in Texas

Date: Mon, 1 Feb 1993 20:24:48 GMT
From: sdd.hp.com!hpscit.sc.hp.com!hplextra!hpl-opus!hpnmdla!alanb@network.UCSD.EDU
Subject: Ham Radio Causes Cancer!
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In rec.radio.amateur.misc, oopdavid@ubvmsb.cc.buffalo.edu (D.RODMAN) writes:

>In article <44051@zygot.ati.com>, john@zygot.ati.com (John Higdon) writes...

>>In article <C1F8Fp.4wM@inews.Intel.COM> jreece@sousa.intel.com writes:

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>>>There have been a number of "reports" on the major TV news magazines and
>>>tabloid shows about electromagnetic fields in general, and RF in particular,
>>>causing cancer.

>Your comment is typical of an uninformed (and likely uneducated) bias
>about this subject. It is my contention that epidemiological studies
>to date, often quoted in the media, mention a link between exposure to
>electromagnetic fields and various cancers.

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>Would you say that smoking does not cause cancer
>because you never saw anyone die under laboratory conditions and ruled
>out all other causes?

...

The difference is that the "link" between cigarette smoking and cancer is far stronger than with EM fields. Smoking greatly increases your chances of getting lung cancer. The studies investigating cancer and EM fields, as I understand it, show either a weak correlation or no correlation at all.

By the way, I love that word "link". It implies cause and effect, without actually saying so. Newspapers use it all the time for that reason.

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Date: 2 Feb 1993 02:42:44 GMT
From: w1gsl@athena.mit.edu
Subject: New England Ham - Electronic Fleamarket Dates 1 Feb Update
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

New England Area Major Flea Market *** DATES *** 1993
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All events are Ham Radio/ Electronic related except ~~~~~~

1993 Contact Source

6 Feb Gardner MA Mohawk ARC Auction 1PM @Am Legion Elm St N1IPG 508 632 9432 T

13 Feb Marlboro MA AARC @ Middle School \$2@10 s\$12@8 Ann KA1PON 508 481 4988 F

13 Feb Goshen NY Orange Co ARC @ Burke HS Jim WB2WLN 914 564 2707 A+

21 Feb New Hyde Park NY LIMARC @Nassau Co Police AL Neil WE2V 516 462 5549

21 Feb Westford MA Boston Antique RC @ Tara Hall 7:30 \$3 John 508 371 0512 F

27 Feb Milton VT @HS rt 7 \$2@8AM buy or sell 802 893 4834 F

27 Feb Lewiston ME AARC @Multi Purpose CTR 8A- sell@7:30 \$5 Sal 207 998 2853

28 Feb Vennia VA Winterfest @Comm Ctr \$5@7:30- sell@6 Nancy 703 691 0078 J

28 Feb Mattapoiset MA @KofC \$1@9A sell \$10@7A Ken K1NSX 508 993 3993 F

7 March Northampton MA Mt Tom ARA @Smith VoTech \$3@9A Jim K1MEA 413 527 3199 F

13 March Hudson NH IRS @Lions Hall Adm \$2 8:30A Sell 7A Wayne 603 895 9035

14 March Bristol CT ICRC @Eastern HS 9-2 \$3/sell\$12 Chuck K1DFS 203 747 6377

16 May Cambridge MA FLEA at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F
 3rd Sunday Each Month April thru October

16 May Pittsfield MA @Taconic HS Sell \$5@7 Buy \$2@8 Cliff W1SJV 413 743 3334 +

21-22-23 May Rochester NY ARRL-NY Conv @ Monroe FG Harold K2HC 800 724 8515 F

5 June S Burlington VT Mitch WB2JSJ 802 879 6589

6 June Newington CT @HS Flea Les KA1KRP 203 523 0453

12 June Bangor ME Pine St ARC @Hermon ES 146.34/94 8AM-\$2 Roger 207 848 3846

20 June Cambridge MA FLEA at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

17 July Nashua NH NE Antique RC \$5@8 \$1@9 @ Res Ctr Church Ray 508 865 1290

17 July Union ME @ Fairground \$3@7AM State Conv Skeet KA1LPW 207 622 2915 +

18 July Cambridge MA FLEA at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

24 July Manchester NH NHARA @HI 8A \$4 NE Div Conv Warren WB1HBB 603 432 6001 F

8 Aug White Planes NY WECAfest Sarah N2EYX 914 962 9666 D

15 Aug Cambridge MA FLEA at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

7 Sept Windsor ME @ Fairground \$3@7AM Skeet KA1LPW 207 622 2915

12 Sept Gaithersburg MD FAR @Mg Cty FG \$5@6A- \$7TG Nancy Drahim 703 691 0078 J

19 Sept Cambridge MA FLEA at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

19 Sept Sandy Hook CT Candlewood ARA Harold KB1US
 A+

26 Sept Yonkers NY Metro 70 ARC Otto WB2SLQ 914 969 1053 A+

15,16 Oct Rochester NH Hoss Traders @FG ex13 off rt 16 \$5 noon fri K1RQG +

17 Oct Cambridge MA FLEA at MIT Nick 617 253 3776 F

14 Nov Branford CT SCARA @intrm sch Brad WA1TAS 203 265 9983 T

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 LAST UPDATE 1-29-93 de W1GSL P 2 of 2  
 Source F= Flyer J= John Roberts list A= ARRL list WR NV 73 CQ QST = Mags  
 T= tentative early info D= W1DL + = new info this month

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Subject: Private repeater system (was: Real No-codes)  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In rec.radio.amateur.misc, willis@cs.tamu.edu (Willis Marti) writes:

>In article <14570603@hpnmdla.sr.hp.com>, alanb@hpnmdla.sr.hp.com (Alan Bloom) writes:

>\*\* So how would you translate this sentence into Politically Correct language?

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>\*\* "No-code Technicians may not transmit on the 10 meter band."

> "Technicians who have not passed a Morse code test may not ..."  
... transmit in the 10 meter band."

>See? Pretty easy to say, to the point and doesn't need any new license class  
>titles.

Precisely my point, it takes twice as long to say. You can always rewrite a sentence not to use a certain word, because the English language has enough flexibility to say things in different ways. But that doesn't mean the word is not useful.

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>\*\* The only way I can think of is:

>Possibly your brain capability is restricted by still retaining the morse  
>code capabilty; hope not, several of my friends know morse code  
>yet still manage to be civil.

What's uncivil about saying that we need a good, short word to differentiate between the two types of Technician license. Accusing me of restricted brain capacity is definitely uncivil. A case of the pot calling the kettle black.

>maybe instead of N1AL, you could say "tact impaired".

OK, I apologise for the "Morse impaired" comment. I was trying to make a comment about politically correct language, not imply any disparagement of codeless Technicians.

I have a number of blind friends who don't particularly like the term "visually impaired." "Blind" is good enough for them.

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Subject : Re: Real NoCodes

In article <16B66D3BB.R0264@vmcms.csuohio.edu> R0264@vmcms.csuohio.edu writes:  
>In article <93026.143919MGB@SLACVM.SLAC.STANFORD.EDU>  
><MGB@SLACVM.SLAC.STANFORD.EDU> writes:

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>>I have a Tech Plus liscense and am currently studying for my General. I  
>>also have numerous CB's which I use for vehicle/vehicle or ship/shore/vehicle  
>>communications. I have become involved with a number of Ares/Races groups  
>>and part of our Ham Club at work. Listening to some of the people who have  
>>General Liscenses on UHF, VHF, and HF, however, makes me wonder, however  
>>what they are complaining about as to the no-code techs. The pompous,  
>>elitist know it all attitudes and the level of language used by these  
>>"OM's" is worse than "kid" channels on CB. Although I can't speak about  
>>those who only use code, I'm still working on getting to an acceptable level  
>>of competence to copy them, the mentality of a number of "old timers" I have  
>>heard makes me wonder if they are keying the mic's with their tails.

I seem to be in the minority here. I spend ALOT OF TIME on HF and have heard very LITTLE bad langauge and very few pompous hams. Am I doing something wrong? 8-)

Jeff

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|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Jeff Jones AB6MB        | Hooker          | : I'll do anything for \$50! |
| jeffj@seeker.mystic.com | Henny Youngman: | Will you paint my house?     |

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Subject : Re: Transistor equivalents

The ZTX family of semiconductors are manufactured by Ferranti in the U.K.

My book says ZTX651 NPN plastic Ic 2.0 amps Vceo 60volts  
ZTX751 PNP plastic Ic 2.0 amps Vceo 60volts

no data on Ft or hfe.

73 Trevor G3WQO AB5EU

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